

## Memorial Options

- ☐ Memorial Bench
- ☐ Picnic Sites
- ☐ Memorial Ramada

Please contact the Parks Department directly at  
(602) 506-2930 for current pricing.

Please provide the following information.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of park you would like to place a memorial:

\_\_\_\_\_

Mail to: 234 N. Central Ave., Suite 6400, Phoenix, AZ 85004  
Attn: Park Memorial.

Or, take this form to the park you have indicated above.

Once received by the Parks Department, you will be contacted by the park that you have identified as your location choice. Additional forms, including the memorial selection and site, wording on the plaque, and payment must be completed before ordering the memorial.

The process in its entirety is approximately 120 days.

### **Maricopa County Parks**

Buckeye Hills Regional Park  
Cave Creek Regional Park  
Estrella Mountain Regional Park  
Lake Pleasant Regional Park  
McDowell Mountain Regional Park  
San Tan Mountain Regional Park  
Spur Cross Ranch Conservation Area  
Usery Mountain Regional Park  
White Tank Mountain Regional Park

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# Memorial Donation



## **Parks & Recreation Department**

*Preserving the memory of a loved one*



**Maricopa County**

***Immortalize the one you love.....***  
*with a memorial at a Maricopa County Park.*

Anyone familiar with the parks in the Maricopa County Regional Park System knows these are special places, and often become important to the lives of the visitors. Occasionally, a visitor wishes to place a memorial within a park.

In an attempt to fulfill this dream, the Maricopa County Parks and Recreation Department offers the **Memorial Donation Program**.



*San Tan Mountain Regional Park*

To protect the park and its resources, the parks department has identified the types of memorials and locations most appropriate for each park. Thus, not all items are available at every park. The placement of memorials is strictly at the discretion of the park supervisor.

For more detailed information on the program, complete the last page of the brochure and mail back to the Maricopa County Parks and Recreation Department. A representative from the park of your choice will contact you once we receive the request.



*Several options are available to visitors when considering a Memorial Donation.*

*This is an example of the **Memorial Bench**.*

There are three options available to Maricopa County park visitors who are considering a Memorial Donation: a Memorial Bench, Picnic Site, or Memorial Ramada.

***Memorial Bench***

A precast concrete bench, with exposed aggregate, is molded to include a bronze 4" x 6" plaque. The plaque includes three lines of remembrance. Additional lines, and larger plaques, are available at an additional cost. The plaque is ordered once the wording and dates have been approved by the donor. After it is complete, the plaque is set in the form and the bench is cast around it. Completed and cured benches are picked up, transported to the park, and set in place by the park staff.

Memorial benches are most frequently placed along barrier-free trails to serve as resting points. Another popular location is at vista points within the park. Location availabilities will be discussed during the ordering, and will be approved by the park supervisor.

*A Picnic Site offers visitors a picnic table and seating.*



***Picnic Site Memorial***

A bronze 7" x 9" plaque, again with three lines of remembrance, is created for the memorial. Once complete, the plaque is cast into a concrete picnic table. The picnic table, with the plaque, is then picked up and placed in the specified location by the park crew. The site is an agreed upon location between the park supervisor and the donor.



*A Memorial Ramada provides shade and a picnic table to park visitors.*

***Memorial Ramada***

The largest memorial available through the Maricopa County Parks and Recreation Department's Memorial Donation Program is the picnic ramada.

A bronze 7" x 9" plaque, similar to the Picnic Site Memorial plaque, is created after the wording is agreed upon by the donor. Once complete, the plaque is permanently molded into a table. The table is picked up and placed in the specified location by the park crew. The site is an agreed upon location between the park supervisor and the donor.

Once the table is set, a ramada, similar to other ramadas in the park, is placed over the picnic table to provide shade.